

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:	§	OFFICIAL
TRAN M. NGUYEN, et al.	§	
Serial No.: 10/649,921	§	
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IN REFINERY DESALTING	§	Docket No.: 194-29741-US
PROCESSES	§	Date: August 15, 2008

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.111

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner of Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed June 17, 2008, for the above-identified patent application.

Amendments to the claims and the status of all claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 10.

No fee is believed necessary for the entry of this Amendment since it is being submitted within three months of the Office Action and no new claims have been added. Nevertheless, in an abundance of caution, if a fee is necessary for the entry of this Amendment, the Examiner is hereby authorized to charge said fee to Deposit Account No. 13-0010 (194-29741-US) (Madan, Mossman & Sriram, P.C.).